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| Re: | Applicant: | Bioanalytical Systems, Inc. |
| | Inventors: | GEDDES, Leslie A.; KISSINGER, Candice B.; BOUGHER, Joseph A.; and CLEVINGER, Stephen J. |
| | Invention: | DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ELECTROCARDIOGRAPHY ON FREELY MOVING ANIMALS |
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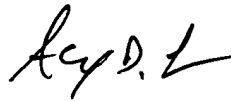
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We thank you for your assistance in this matter. If I can be of any assistance in facilitating the examination of this application, please contact me at (317) 236-5826.

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